

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A method, comprising:
receiving electronic ink input;
converting the electronic ink input to one or more machine-generated objects; and
rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that a size and an inter-word spacing of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to an original size and an original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.
2. (Original) A method according to claim 1, further comprising:
determining the original size of the electronic ink input.
3. (Original) A method according to claim 2, wherein the original size of the electronic ink input is determined based on an average size of at least a portion of the electronic ink input.
4. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, further comprising:
receiving input selecting at least one object from the rendered machine-generated object or objects; and
displaying the electronic ink input corresponding to the selected machine-generated object or objects in place of the selected at least one object.
5. (Original) A method according to claim 4, wherein the displayed electronic ink input temporarily replaces the rendered machine-generated object or objects.
6. (Original) A method according to claim 1, wherein the one or more rendered machine-generated objects are arranged so as to correspond to an original arrangement of the electronic ink input.
7. (Original) A method according to claim 1, wherein the electronic ink input includes electronic ink text input, the one or more machine-generated objects includes machine-generated

text, and the size of at least some of the machine-generated objects constitutes a font size of the machine-generated text.

8. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 7, further comprising:
determining the original size of the electronic ink text input on a word-by-word basis,
wherein at least two words are separated by said original inter-word spacing.

9. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 8, wherein the machine-generated text is rendered, on [[a]]the word-by-word basis, at a font size based on the determined original size of the electronic ink text input.

10. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 7, further comprising:
determining the original size of the electronic ink text input as an average size of a line of the electronic ink text input, on a line-by-line basis, wherein at least one line includes at least two words separated by said original inter-word spacing.

11. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 10, wherein the machine-generated text is rendered, on [[a]]the line-by-line basis, at a font size based on the average size of the electronic ink text input line.

12. (Original) A method according to claim 7, further comprising:
receiving input selecting one or more words from the rendered machine-generated text;
and
displaying the electronic ink text input corresponding to the selected machine-generated text.

13. (Original) A method according to claim 12, further comprising:
displaying machine-generated text alternatives corresponding to the selected one or more words.

14. (Original) A method according to claim 13, further comprising:
receiving input selecting a displayed machine-generated text alternative; and
replacing the selected rendered machine-generated text with the selected displayed machine-generated text alternative.
15. (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:
an input adapted to receive electronic ink input; and
a processor programmed and adapted to: (a) convert the electronic ink input to one or more machine-generated objects, and (b) render the one or more machine-generated objects such that a size and an inter-word spacing of the machine-generated object or objects such that a size of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to an original size and an original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.
16. (Original) A system according to claim 15, wherein the electronic ink input includes electronic ink text input, the one or more machine-generated objects includes machine-generated text, and the size of at least some of the machine-generated objects constitutes a font size of the machine-generated text.
17. (Original) A system according to claim 16, wherein the input is further adapted to receive a selection of one or more words from the rendered machine-generated text, and wherein the processor is further programmed and adapted to display the electronic ink text input corresponding to the selected machine-generated text and to display machine-generated text alternatives corresponding to the selected one or more words.
18. (Original) A system according to claim 17, wherein the input is further adapted to receive a selection of a displayed machine-generated text alternative, and the processor is further programmed and adapted to replace the selected rendered machine-generated text with the selected displayed machine-generated text alternative.

19. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable medium including computer-executable instructions stored thereon for performing a method, the method comprising:

receiving electronic ink input;
converting the electronic ink input to one or more machine-generated objects; and
rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that a size and an inter-word spacing of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to an original size and an original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.

20. (Original) A computer-readable medium according to claim 19, wherein the electronic ink input includes electronic ink text input, the one or more machine-generated objects includes machine-generated text, and the size of at least some of the machine-generated objects constitutes a font size of the machine-generated text.

21. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein said step of rendering comprises:
rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that a word positioning of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to an original word positioning of the electronic ink input.

22. (New) The system of claim 15, wherein said processor is further programmed and adapted to render the one or more machine-generated objects such that a word positioning of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to an original word positioning of the electronic ink input.

23. (New) The computer-readable medium of claim 19, wherein said step of rendering comprises:

rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that a word positioning of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to an original word positioning of the electronic ink input.

24. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein said step of rendering comprises:

rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that the size and the inter-word spacing of the rendered machine-generated object or objects is substantially the same as the original size and the original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.

25. (New) The system of claim 15, wherein said processor is further programmed and adapted to render the one or more machine-generated objects such that the size and the inter-word spacing of the rendered machine-generated object or objects is substantially the same as the original size and the original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.

26. (New) The computer-readable medium of claim 19, wherein said step of rendering comprises:

rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that the size and the inter-word spacing of the rendered machine-generated object or objects is substantially the same as the original size and the original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.

27. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein said electronic ink input is a table, and said inter-word spacing is a corresponding table column-spacing.

28. (New) The system of claim 15, wherein said electronic ink input is a table, and said inter-word spacing is a corresponding table column-spacing.

29. (New) The computer-readable medium of claim 19, wherein said electronic ink input is a table, and said inter-word spacing is a corresponding table column-spacing.

30. (New) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

normalizing said inter-word spacing in response to a user-generated normalization command.

31. (New) The system of claim 15, wherein said processor is further configured to normalize said inter-word spacing in response to a user-generated normalization command.
32. (New) The computer-readable medium of claim 19, further comprising:
normalizing said inter-word spacing in response to a user-generated normalization command.